

REMARKS

In the Final Office Action of March 6, 2006, claims 15 and 16 were indicated as being allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

With the present amendment, claim 1 has been amended to include the limitations of claims 2, 4, 8, 9, 14 and 15. As such, amended claim 1 represents claim 15 rewritten in independent form including the limitations of all intervening claims. Claims 2, 4, 8, 9, 14 and 15 have been canceled.

In light of this amendment, claim 1 and claims 3, 5-7, 10-13 and 16, which depend therefrom, are in form for allowance.

Claims 17-36 have been canceled.

In a previous Amendment After Final, Applicants had attempted to add claims 37-49. That Amendment After Final was not entered. With the present Supplemental Amendment After Final, claims 37-49 are omitted.

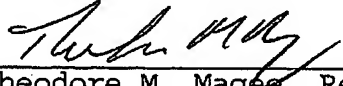
All of pending claims 1, 3, 5-7, 10-13 and 16 have been indicated as being allowable. Reconsideration and allowance of the claims is respectfully requested.

The Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123.

Respectfully submitted,

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